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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.
Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
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